

## WELCOME TO BBIS! OUR NEW TEAM MEMBERS



My name: Ragul Krishnan

My position at BBIS: Teacher of Computer Science/  
Math

My origin: Kotagiri, Tamil Nadu, India

My professional background:	I have over 9 years of experience in teaching ICT and Computer Science. I have served as Level Head, IAYP Award Leader, IBDP Examiner in Computer Science, and Cambridge Assessment Specialist. I have also administered Cambridge exams (CAIE) for the March and June series, provided IT support and training for teachers, and coordinated various co-curricular activities.
My passions:	Teaching and mentoring students, integrating technology in education, leadership development, event management, and creating cyber awareness.
Why have I joined BBIS?	To contribute my expertise in Computer Science and integrate ICT education, nurture student talents through co-curricular programs, and collaborate with a vibrant team to foster a holistic and innovative learning environment.

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My name: Zachary Neubeck  
My position at BBIS: Teacher of German  
My origin: USA (Cleveland, Ohio)

My professional background:	I just completed my Bachelor's degree in both Multi-Age Education and German. Additionally, I just completed my internship at a public school in the USA, teaching various levels of German as a foreign language.
My passions:	I play the oboe, tenor saxophone, and alto saxophone. I also swam competitively for many years and still enjoy doing this for exercise/enjoyment. I also have a passion for traveling and a strong interest in aviation. I enjoy being in nature and being around my family and friends.
Why have I joined BBIS?	I love the diverse community that BBIS has to offer - both within the faculty and student population. I can see that everybody is passionate about education and enjoys the community at BBIS. I instantly felt welcomed by everybody that I spoke to before officially joining and I look forward to being a part of this welcoming community.

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My name: Michael Ettel  
My position at BBIS: English teacher  
My origin: San Francisco, California

My professional background:	I have taught kindergarten and elementary English in South Korea and high school English and Drama in the United States. I hold a Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing.
My passions:	My passion for literature and creative writing is why I became a teacher. I also enjoy traveling, cooking, hiking, and playing volleyball.
Why have I joined BBIS?	My love for traveling and teaching made BBIS a natural choice for my next professional endeavor. I look forward to contributing my unique perspective and experience to the international community here while learning from the perspectives and experiences of my new colleagues.

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My name: Jonathan Arkley  
My position at BBIS: Spanish and English  
My origin: Glasgow, Scotland

My professional background:	I completed my teacher training in Scotland and began my career as a Spanish teacher in a town near where I grew up. After that, I moved to Valencia, where I spent three years teaching English at an international school.
My passions:	I am passionate about language learning and travelling. In addition, I love to cook and make time to exercise daily, as I find both activities great ways to unwind.
Why have I joined BBIS?	I value BBIS's commitment to student safety and inclusion, and I am excited about the opportunity to work at a school where these principles are central to ensuring an exceptional learning experience for all students.